

Application No. 10/813,111

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please amend Figures 6, 6A, 10, and 10A as illustrated in red on the attached photocopies.

REMARKS

Claim Rejections

Claims 1-7 and 13 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the objections set forth in the outstanding Office Action.

Amendments to Specification

Applicant has amended the Specification as noted above to cure obvious grammatical and idiomatic inaccuracies. It is believed that the foregoing amendments to the Specification overcome the outstanding objections thereto. No "new matter" has been added to the original disclosure by the foregoing amendments to the Specification.

Abstract of the Disclosure

Applicant is submitting a substitute Abstract of the Disclosure for that originally filed with this application to more clearly describe the claimed invention. Entry of the Substitute Abstract of the Disclosure is respectfully requested.

Drawings

Applicant proposes to amend Figures 6, 6A, 10, and 10A, as illustrated in red on the attached photocopies. In Figures 6 and 6A, it is proposed to remove reference numerals "122a", "1221a", and "1211a". In Figures 10 and 10A, it is proposed to remove reference numerals "122c", "1221c", and "1211c". No "new matter" has been added to the original disclosure by the proposed amendments to these figures. It is believed the foregoing proposed amendments obviate the outstanding objections to the drawings. Approval of the proposed drawing changes is respectfully requested.

Claim Amendments

By this amendment, Applicant has cancelled claims 8-12, and amended claims 1, 5, 7, and 13 to obviate the objections set forth in the outstanding Office Action. It is believed that the amended claims now specifically set forth each element of Applicant's invention in full compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 112.

Since claims 1-7 and 13 have been indicated as being allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the objection(s) set forth in the outstanding Office Action, no detailed discussion of the cited prior art references is believed to be necessary.


Summary

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that this application is now in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested. Should any points remain in issue, which the Examiner feels could best be resolved by either a personal or a telephone interview, it is urged that Applicant's local attorney be contacted at the exchange listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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